

# 20:20 Catholic Questions



Spring Sessions - 2022

## about

An opportunity for adult discussion and learning about what the Church teaches and where we fit.

6.20 pm in St Patrick's Basilica, 40 MacAndrew Rd, Dunedin

20 minutes presentation,

20 minutes for questions (and out the door by 7.00pm!)

1 September

**What are steps on the path of discipleship?**

*Colin MacLeod*

*(Director of National Centre for Religious Studies)*

Discipleship is a journey. Reflecting on discipleship as present in the Gospels, and how this is being shared in Catholic schools.

15 September

**Who is God?**

*Colin MacLeod*

We believe in one God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. How our understanding of the Trinity shapes our images of God.

29 September

**How do we read the Bible?**

*Dr. Laurel Lanner*

*(Teacher and NCRS Resource Developer)*

The Bible is not a Pakeha book written for Pakeha people. How the background of the Bible helps with reading it.

13 October

**What does 'being created in the image of God' mean?**

*Rev. Dr. Gerard Aynsley*

*(Parish Priest – Mercy Parish)*

Human Dignity is at the heart of our Catholic faith. How the reign of God is linked to our vision of humanity.

27 October

**What does justice have to do with faith?**

*Dr. Ann Gilroy*

*(Editor – Tui Motu Interislands Magazine)*

Justice is not optional. How the principles of Catholic Social Teaching are as much about faith as they are about action.

10 November

**How can we nurture children's spirituality?**

*Anne Kennedy*

*(From her Master's Thesis on Children's Spirituality)*

Noticing, Recognising and Nurturing. How to notice children's spiritual lives and support them in their journey.

24 November

**What does it mean to be pro-life?**

*Dr. John Kleinsman*

*(Director of The Nathaniel Centre for Bioethics)*

A consistent ethic of life. How the Church's teaching on the sacredness of life applies to more than we might think.

